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1. PHOTOGRAPHY OF ROLLING THUNDER 22 BDA 15-16, 13 JULY 1965, REVEALS A NEWLY IDENTIFIED, RAIL-SERVED PETROLEUM STORAGE AREA UNDER CONSTRUCTION 0.1 NM NORTHWEST OF LANG MINH. THE AREA CONTAINS FOUR COMPLETED UNDERGROUND POL TANKS WITH CEMENT CASINGS OF THE TYPE FOUND AT PHU QUI, NORTH VIETNAM. TRENCHING FOR BURYING PIPELINES LEADING FROM THE TANKS IS UNDER CONSTRUCTION AND NUMEROUS PILES OF UNIDENTIFIED OPEN STORAGE AND AGGREGATE ARE OBSERVED IN THE AREA. A DOUBLE PERIMETER FENCE AND A RAIL SPUR OFF THE HANOI-LAO CAI RAIL LINE INTO THE AREA ARE IN THE MID-STAGES OF CONSTRUCTION. A SUPPORT AREA LOCATED IMMEDIATELY SOUTHWEST OF THE STORAGE TANKS CONTAINS APPROXIMATELY TWENTY-FIVE BUILDINGS.

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